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In re Application of: **Michael J. Picciallo**

Group Art Unit: 3624

Application No.: **09/478,051**Examiner: **C. Kyle**Filed: **January 15, 2000**For: **ALLOWANCE CARD OR ACCOUNT**Attorney Docket No.: **P22,425-B USA**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

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Sir:

Consideration of the following Remarks, which are submitted in response to the Official Action mailed February 7, 2006 is respectfully requested.

Applicants' Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.